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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 28th of December, 1796,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the present Session of Parliament, intituled, "An Act to authorize His Majesty, for a limited Time, to make Regulations respecting the Trade and Commerce to and from the Cape of Good Hope," it is enacted, that it shall and may be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the Advice of his Privy Council, by any Order or Orders, to be issued from Time to Time, to give such Directions, and make such Regulations, touching the Trade and Commerce to and from the Settlement of the Cape of Good Hope, and the Territories and Dependencies thereof, as to His Majesty in Council shall appear most expedient and salutary, any of the Acts of Parliament therein referred to, or any Usage, Law or Custom, to the contrary notwithstanding.

And whereas during the Time the said Settlement, with the Territories and Dependencies thereof, were in the Possession and under the Government of the States General of the United Provinces, or of the Honorable the General East India Company in the Netherlands, it was usual to admit the Ships and Vessels belonging to the Subjects of Countries in Amity with the said United Provinces into the Ports of the said Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, for Repair and Refreshment, and, with that View, to permit the said Ships and Vessels to carry on Trade with the Inhabitants of

the said Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof. — His Majesty is hereby pleased to order, by and with the Advice of his Privy Council, in pursuance of the Powers vested in His Majesty by the above recited Act, and it is hereby ordered, that it shall be lawful, until further Order, for all Ships and Vessels belonging to His Majesty's Subjects, as well as for all Ships and Vessels belonging to the Subjects of any Country or State in Amity with His Majesty, to enter into the Ports of the said Settlement of the Cape of Good Hope, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, and to carry on Trade and Traffick with the Inhabitants of the said Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, and to import and export to and from the Ports of the said Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, any Goods, Wares or Merchandize whatsoever, subject to the following Exceptions, and subject also to such Duties, Rules, Regulations and Restrictions as shall be established by His Majesty, or by the Governor of the said Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, by virtue of Authority derived from His Majesty; and in the mean Time subject to such Duties, Rules, Regulations and Restrictions as subsisted and were in Force before and at the Time of the Conquest of the said Settlement by the Arms of His Majesty, with such Alterations as have been since made under the Authority of the Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Forces at the said Settlement: But it is His Majesty's Pleasure that no Goods Wares or Merchandize, which shall be imported into the said Settlement,

Settlement, or the Territories or Dependencies thereof, from any Part of His Majesty's Dominions, shall be subject to any Duty.

And it is His Majesty's Pleasure, that no Goods, Wares or Merchandize, the Growth, Produce or Manufacture of the Countries to the Eastward of the Cape of Good Hope, be imported into the said Settlement, or the Territories or Dependencies thereof, except by the United Company of Merchants trading to the East Indies; and that no such Goods, Wares or Merchandize, be permitted to be exported from thence, except for Sea Stores only, or by the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, or by their Licence.

But it is His Majesty's Pleasure that nothing in this Order contained shall extend to prevent Ships or Vessels employed in the Southern Whale Fishery from carrying on the same in such and the same Manner as might have been done if this Order had not been made.

And it is also His Majesty's Pleasure, that no Arms or Artillery, Gunpowder or Ammunition, of any Sort, be allowed to be imported into the said Settlement, or the Territories or Dependencies thereof, except by the said United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, or by Licence from His Majesty.

And it is His Majesty's further Pleasure, that the Trade and Commerce to and from the said Settlement, and the Territories and Dependencies thereof, shall be subject to such of the Laws of Trade and Navigation as would have affected the same if this Order had not been made, except so far as such Laws are contrary to this present Order.

And the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, are to give the necessary Directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

Steph. Cottrell.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 9, 1797.

SUCH Ladies as desire to dance Minuets at the Ball which is to be at St. James's on Wednesday the 18th Instant, are requested to send their Names and Rank, in Writing, to this Office, on or before Monday the 16th, and to send for their Tickets the next Day (Tuesday) between the Hours of Ten in the Morning and Two in the Afternoon. And to prevent the inconveniencies which have arisen from the Space before Their Majesties, which is allotted for Minuet Dancing, being exceedingly crowded, it is requested that those Ladies only who mean to dance will send for Dancers Tickets, and sit in those Places, as the Seats have been found too few to accommodate the Dancers.

Admiralty-Office, January 9, 1797.

Extract of a Letter from Sir Richard Strachan, Captain of His Majesty's Ship Diamond, to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated in the Ance de Vauville, the 24th of last Month.

I Have to inform you that this Morning, being off Alderney, we saw a Brig, which we gave Chace to, and in the Evening we came up with her in the Ance de Vauville; she is called L'Esperance, has been out from Havre Four Days.

Extract of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Murray to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated on Board His Majesty's Ship Cleopatra, off the Start, the 1st Instant.

ON the 16th of December in the Morning, in Latitude 48 deg. 42 min. N. Longitude 20 deg. 31 min. W. we fell in with, and, after a short Chace, captured L'Hirondelle, French Privateer, of 12 Guns and 70 Men, 15 Days out from Bourdeaux.

She is a fine Brig, pierced for 16 Guns, but now mounting only 12, and newly coppered.

Extract of a Letter from Vice-Admiral Sir George Keith Elphinstone, K. B. to Evan Nepean, Esq; dated on Board His Majesty's Ship Monarch, Crookhaven, the 30th of last Month.

I Have the Honor to inform you, that the Impatiente French Frigate, carrying 20 Four-Pounders, 320 Men, and 250 Soldiers, came on Shore near this Place about One o'Clock this Morning, and was totally lost. Seven of the Men escaped on the Rocks.

Whitehall, January 10, 1797.

By Dispatches received this Day by his Grace the Duke of Portland, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, from the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, dated the 6th Instant, it appears that his Excellency had received Accounts from Vice-Admiral Kingmill, stating, that on the 5th Instant His Majesty's Ship the Polyphemus, Captain Lumsdaine, had captured and brought into the Cove of Cork, La Tortue, a French Frigate of 44 Guns, 625 Men, including Troops; and that she had also captured a large Transport, full of Troops, which being extremely leaky, and Night coming on, with heavy Gales of Wind, Captain Lumsdaine had been prevented from taking Possession of, but which, from many Signals of Distress afterwards made by her, and his Inability to render any Assistance, he had every Reason to apprehend must have sunk during the Night.

It further appears from the Accounts of the Prisoners on Board La Tortue, that La Scavola, another large French Frigate, had recently foundered at Sea, with all her Crew.

Admiralty-Office, January 7, 1797.

PURsuant to an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty-sixth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the concerned, That Information has been sent to this Office, that the Snow Mary, belonging to New York, of the Burthen of 150 Tons

150 Tons, whereof Thomas Huston was Master, bound from Ostend to New York, was, on the 30th of last Month, driven on Shore at Beer in the County of Devon, and totally lost.

Evan Nepean.

Westminster, January 10, 1797.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Jackson the younger, of Wisbeach in the County of Cambridge, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Thomas Devey, of Bridgnorth in the County of Salop, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Commissions in the Middlesex Militia, signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

Westminster Regiment. Henry Gordon, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated October 24, 1796.

Matthew Thomas, Gent. to be Lieutenant. Dated November 21, 1796.

Richard Wood, Esq; to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated December 22, 1796.

Western Regiment. Thomas Arthur Colley Payler, Gent. to be Ensign. Dated as above.

Commission signed by His Majesty for the Army in Ireland.

Major B. F. Bowes, from the 85th Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel of the 6th Foot, vice Lieutenant-Colonel William Scott. Dated December 1, 1796.

Whitehall, January 10, 1797.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, that about Two o'Clock on the Morning of Monday the 2d Instant, some evil-minded Person or Persons knocked at the Door of Thomas Barker, Esq; the Junior Bailiff of the Borough of East Retford, and on his opening a Chamber Window, fired a Gun at him, loaded with Bullets, which fortunately missed him: And that about the same Time some Person or Persons maliciously fired a Gun, loaded with Bullets, at the Lodging Room Window of Richard Hutchinson, Esq; one of the Senior Aldermen of the said Borough.

His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the daring Outrages above mentioned, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person or Persons who actually fired the Guns) who shall discover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

PORTLAND.

And, as a further Encouragement, a Reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered by the Corporation of East Retford to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as is before excepted) to be paid upon Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders, by

Nath. Mason,

Clerk of the Peace for the Borough of East Retford.

General Post-Office, Wednesday, Decr 28, 1796.

THE Post-Boy, in his Way from Epsom to Kingston, with the Bags of Letters from Horsham, Ryegate, Dorking, Leatherhead and Epsom, of Tuesday the 27th Instant, for London, having stopped at the Bull's Head at Ewell to take up the Bye Letters, had the Mail cut from the Pillion, and the above-named Bags taken away.

Whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, the Person or Persons who stole the said Mail and Bags, will be intitled to a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS; or if an Accomplice will surrender himself and make Discovery, whereby the Person or Persons who stole the said Mail and Bags may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will be intitled to the said Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, and will also receive His Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General,

Anthony Todd, Sec.

Admiralty-Office, December 7, 1796.

Notice is hereby given, that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held at Justice Hall in the Old Bailey, London, on Saturday the 21st Day of January next, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

Evan Nepean.

Transport-Office, Decembr 31, 1796.

THE Commissioners for conducting His Majesty's Transport Office do hereby give Notice, that there is Money in the Hands of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy to pay the Principal and Interest of the Bills registered on the Course of the Transport Office between the 1st and 31st of October, 1795.

And all Persons possessed of the same are desired to bring them to this Office to be assigned for Payment.

All Persons who hold the said Bills are desired to subscribe their Names and Places of Abode at the Bottom of each Bill.

Navy-Office, January 6, 1797.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that all Bills issued from the Navy, Victualling and Transport Offices under the present Act of Parliament, intituled, "An Act to provide for the more speedy Payment of Navy Bills, &c. drawn at 90 Days Date, and bearing an Interest at the Rate of Three-pence Halfpenny per Centum per Diem," will be punctually paid on the Days when the same respectively become due, at the Office of the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, Somerset-Place, between the Hours of Ten and Three o'Clock, Provision being made for that Purpose.

Merchants Seamens Office, Royal-Exchange, January 2, 1797.

THE Committee for managing the Subscription for the Relief of the Widows, Children, and Relatives of Officers, Seamen, Soldiers, and Marines, in the Actions under the Command of Admiral Earl Howe, the 28th, 29th of May, and 1st of June, 1794, do hereby give Notice, that they will be ready, the first Thursday after the 25th Day of March next, to make a

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second Distribution to the Relatives or next of Kin of such Officers, Seamen, Soldiers and Marines, who were killed on the above memorable Days, and likewise to those who were disabled; as by the Lists transmitted to them from the Commanders of the different Ships, they find that 71 Officers and Seamen who were wounded, and the Representatives of 136 who were killed (notwithstanding the many Advertisements from the Committee) have not applied to take the Benefit of the said Subscriptions. They do therefore give Notice, that unless Application is made previous to that Day, they must necessarily be excluded from any Benefit therefrom.

John Julius Angerstein, Chairman.

SUGARS, GINGER and ALOES,

FOR Sale, by Order of the Honorable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long-Room at the Custom-House, London, on Thursday the 19th of January, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in Lots of 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10 Casks each.

H.	T.	B.	
61	—	—	Barbadoes.
24	8	—	Antigua.
21	8	4	Sr. Kitt's.
—	—	51	Ginger.
—	—	2	Aloes.

The Samples to be viewed at Wycherley's Yard, opposite Bear Quay, on Wednesday the 18th and Thursday the 19th of January.

Notice is hereby given, that an Account of Sales of the Prizes L'Alexander, La Catherine, La Petit Neptune, L'Hyronnelle, La Constantia, La Lucille, La Montague, Le Grache, Feux, and her Head Money Bill, L'Eclair and her Head-Money Bill, and Le Bonne Union and Nymph Recaptures, by the Squadron under the Command of Sir Richard Strachan, Bart. on the 9th of May, 1795, will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty.

Jos. Hunt, Webster and Wedderburn, Tho. Maude, Christ. Cook, John and Abraham Atkins, Marsh and Creed, and John and Henry Delamaine, of London; J. P. Maxwell, of Portsmouth; Tho. Miller, of Plymouth, John Penny and James Evans, of Gosport, Agents.

January 9, 1797.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Cerberus and Santa Margariita, who were actually on Board at the Time of the Capture of the Jean Bart French Corvette, on the 28th of March, 1795, that they will be paid their respective Proportions of the Proceeds of the Head-Money Bill for the said Corvette, on Board, on Wednesday the 11th Instant; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at Mess. J. and A. Atkins, No. 7, Walbrook, the First Thursday in every Month for Three Years to come.

J. and A. Atkins, Steph. Drew, Jos. Hunt.

London, January 6, 1797.

Notice is hereby given, that an Account of the Head-Money arising from the Capture of the La Marquis French Ship of War, by His Majesty's Ships Beaulieu and Ganges, on the 10th of March, 1796, will be deposited in the Registry of the High Court of Admiralty, agreeable to Act of Parliament.

W. Colquhoun, Agent.

London, January 2, 1797.

IRISH LIFE ANNUITIES,

With Benefit of Survivorship.

THE Subscribers to the Life Annuities, established in Ireland in the Years 1773, 1775 and 1777, who are to be paid in London, may receive Six Months Annuity, due at Christmas last, at Messrs. Boldero, Adey, Luffington and Boldero, Bankers, No. 30, Cornhill, in the following Manner, viz.

The first Class in each (consisting of Nominees of the Age of Forty Years and upwards) from the 10th of January to the 13th ditto, both Days inclusive, from Ten in the Forenoon, until Two in the Afternoon.

The second Class in each (consisting of Nominees of the Age of Twenty Years and upwards, but under Forty) from the 17th ditto to the 20th ditto, both Days inclusive.

The third Class in each (consisting of Nominees under the Age of Twenty Years) from the 24th ditto to the 27th ditto, both Days inclusive.

Those of each Class remaining unpaid will be paid every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday following, during the same Hours.

The Debentures to be produced, and a Certificate of the Life of the Nominee, otherwise a personal Appearance will be required; and it is particularly requested, upon the Demise of the Nominee, that the Debentures may be delivered in as above, to be transmitted to Ireland, to render the Lists of Deaths complete, for the future Benefit and Regulation of each Class: And as the earliest Information should be obtained of the Occurrences which affect a Reversionary Property, wherein so many Individuals are concerned, it is further requested of any Person, who may discover any Fraud or Imposition on these Annuities, to give Notice thereof, with all convenient Speed, to Messrs. Boldero, Adey, Luffington and Boldero.

The Publick are requested to attend on the Days allotted for the Payment of the different Classes, and to take Notice, that in case any Person, who, by the Intent of the Act of Parliament providing for the Payment of these Annuities, shall neglect to demand the same for the Space of Three Years from the Receipt of their last Dividend, he or she shall for ever lose and forfeit the same, as if his or her respective Nominee had been dead at the Commencement of the said Three Years.

By Order,

WM. CARR, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting under the Firm of Parry, Sons, and Ludlam, No. 17, Aldermanbury, London, will expire on the 31st of December instant, when the same will be finally dissolved. All Persons indebted to the above Firm are requested to pay their respective Debts at the Counting-House in Aldermanbury, where all Demands upon the said Firm will be adjusted. Dated this 22d of December, 1796.

Will. Parry.

Wm. Parry, jun.

Tho. Parry.

James Ludlam.

Notice is hereby given, that immediately from and after the Dissolution of the above-mentioned Partnership of "Parry, Sons, and Ludlam," on the 31st of December inst. the Trade in future will be carried on at No. 17, Aldermanbury, by William Parry the younger and Thomas Parry only, under the Firm of William and Thomas Parry.

Wm. Parry, jun.

Tho. Parry.

THE Partnership between Joseph Vowell and Richard Downing, of No. 27, Worcester-Street, Southwark, Attornies at Law, was this Day dissolved by mutual Consent: As witness our Hands this 24th Day of December, 1796.

Joseph Vowell.

Rich. Downing.

TAKE Notice, that the Partnership between Stephen Garton and John Fairlamb, of Fore-Street, London, was this Day dissolved by mutual Consent, and that all Debts due to and from the said Estate will be paid and received by the said Firm: As witness our Hands this 31st of December, 1796.

Steph. Garton.

Jno. Fairlamb.

N. B. Each Party intends carrying on the Business separately.

Notice is hereby given, that all and every the Partnership Concerns of John Kenyon, Joseph Frith, George Woolhouse, and Jonathan Bamford, all of Sheffield in the County of York, Ironmasters, are dissolved by mutual Consent, so far as the same relate to the said Jonathan Bamford; and that all Debts due to and owing from the said Partnership will be received and paid by the said John Kenyon, Joseph Frith, and George Woolhouse: As witness their Hands this 22d Day of December, 1796.

*John Kenyon.
Joseph Frith.
Geo. Woolhouse.
Jon. Bamford.*

Leeds, January 7, 1797.

THE Partnership between Francis Riddale, George Beaumont, and Walter Beaumont, under the Firm of Riddale and Beaumont, of Leeds, Merchants, was dissolved on the 31st Day of December last. The Liquidation of the Concerns rests with George and Walter Beaumont. Witness our Hands,

*Francis Riddale.
Geo. Beaumont.
Walter Beaumont.*

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership between George Wheelton, Paul Webster, and Thomas Wheelton, of Derby in the County of Derby, Merchants, will be dissolved on the 31st Day of December instant by mutual Consent, and that the Business will in future be carried on by George Wheelton and Paul Webster only. All Accounts will be settled by any of the said Parties, to whom all Persons who are indebted are respectfully requested to discharge their several Demands. Given under our Hands this 28th Day of December, 1796.

*Geo. Wheelton.
Paul Webster.
Tho. Wheelton.*

Notice is hereby given, that the Partnership carried on by James Threlfall, Robert Hesketh and Thomas Washington, in Liverpool, under the Firm of James Threlfall and Co. was this Day dissolved by mutual Consent. All Persons indebted to the said Concern are requested to pay their respective Debts to James Threlfall. The Business in future will be carried on by James Threlfall and Robert Hesketh. Witness, their Hands this 2d Day of January, 1797.

*James Threlfall.
Rob. Hesketh.
Tho. Washington.*

Goswell-Street, January 9, 1797.

THE Partnership between Mess. Smith and Milward, of Goswell-Street, London, Hog-Merchants, has been this Day dissolved. All Persons indebted to the said Partnership are desired to pay their respective Debts to Mr. George Milward, in Goswell-Street aforesaid, who is empowered to receive the same, and will satisfy all just Demands on the said Partnership.

*Henry Smith.
George Milward.*

London, January 2, 1797.

THE Partnership between Joseph Adamson and David Wilkinson, of Cateaton-Street, Warehousemen, was dissolved by mutual Consent on the 29th of September last. The Business is now carried on by the said Joseph Adamson.

*Joseph Adamson.
David Wilkinson.*

Bath, December 31, 1796.

ALL Persons who have any Claims on the late Partnership of Bowsher and Randolph, of Bath, Attornies and Solicitors, will please to send their Accounts to one of their Offices on or before the 14th Day of January next.

*R. Bowsher.
J. Randolph.*

London, January 7, 1797.

THE Partnership between Francis Riddale, George Beaumont, Walter Beaumont, and William Hamilton, under the Firm of Riddale, Beaumonts and Hamilton, of the City of London, Merchants, was dissolved the 31st Day of December last. The Liquidation of the Concerns rests with Riddale, Hamilton, and Co. of Finsbury-Place. Witness our Hands.

*Francis Riddale.
Geo. Beaumont.
Walter Beaumont.
William Hamilton.*

JAMES BLAIR, Esq. deceased.

ALL Persons having any Demands against the Firm of James Blair and Co. in the West Indies, whereof James Blair is deceased; or against the Firm of W. F. Skerrett and Co. of London, which Two Firms are of the same Account, it is hereby requested, that all Demands and Claims whatsoever be delivered in either to W. F. Skerrett and Co. of London, or the Representatives in the West Indies.

London, Whitehall, Jan. 4, 1796.

DANIEL GOW.

THE Creditors of Daniel Gow, who died in India some Years ago, are desired to send Notes of their Debts to John Stewart, the Executor, No. 107, St. Martin's-Lane. Distribution to be made in One Month from this Date.

December 24, 1796.

Dublin, November 12, 1796.

IF the next akin of Ann Skerrett, otherwise Wyer, deceased, who was born in or near London, and removed from thence to Ireland about the Year 1745, will apply to Jacob Mark, No. 19, Ardee-Street, Dublin, they will hear of something to their Advantage.

N. B. None but Letters, Post-paid, will be attended to.

THE Creditors of John Ratcliffe, of Liverpool, Brazier, a Bankrupt, are requested to meet at the Counting-House of Mr. Henry Frodsham, in Liverpool aforesaid, on Thursday the 26th Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, to take into Consideration whether to accept a Sum offered for the said Bankrupt's Share of Premises in Liverpool (by one of the Parties interested in the said Premises) or to offer the same to Sale by Auction.

January 7, 1797.

THE Creditors of Charles Cock, of Dunmow in the County of Essex, Shopkeeper, who have executed the Deed of Trust of his Estate and Effects, may receive a Final Dividend of Nine Shillings and Seven Pence in the Pound by applying to Mr. Joseph Kemble, of Swithin's-Lane, London, the Trustee, any Morning in the ensuing Week.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in Two several Causes, wherein Thomas Holbeche and another are Plaintiffs and John Silvester and others are Defendants, and Joseph Perry and others, Plaintiffs, and the said Thomas Holbeche and others, Defendants, the Creditors and Annuitants provided for by the Deed of Trust of the 30th of March, 1776, are forthwith, personally or by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Annuities before William Weller Pepys, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Gibbs, of Stowerton in the County of Warwick, Woulstapler, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects on the 19th Day of January instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Red Lion, in Banbury in the County of Oxford, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or on the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.



THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Miller, of Holbeach in the County of Lincoln, Grocer, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects on the 19th Day of January instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Chiquier Inn, in Holbeach aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting or otherwise proceeding at Law or in Equity for Recovery of Part of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects in the Hands of the Sheriff for the County of Lincoln, taken under a Judgment, and Execution issued thereon, at the Suit of Mrs. Ann Morice, the Bankrupt's Mother in Law; or to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Butler, of Blackburn in the County of Lancaster, Calico Manufacturer, are desired to meet the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt on the 17th Day of January instant, at Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Old Black Bull in Blackburn aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovery of any Part of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; or to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Philip Addington, of the City of Hereford, Haberdasher, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 17th and 31st Days of January instant, and on the 21st of February next, at One in the Afternoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Mainstone, Effex-Street, Strand, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Hodgson, of the Strand in the County of Middlesex, Confectioner, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 17th and 21st Days of January instant, and on the 21st of February next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Richard Withington, of Stockport in the County of Chester, Muslin, Gingham, and Fustian Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th and 28th Days of January instant, and on the 21st Day of February next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the Star Inn, in Deansgate in Manchester in the County of Lancaster, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the

Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mess. Parker and Lee, Attornies, Chancery-Lane, London, or to Mess. G. and W. Nabb, Attornies, at Manchester.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Green, of Westhoughton in the County of Lancaster, Fustian Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, (carrying on Trade in the Name and Firm of George Green and Son) and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 17th and 31st Days of January instant, and on the 21st of February next, at Three in the Afternoon on each Day, at Spencer's Tavern, in Manchester in the County of Lancaster, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuse Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Clough, Attorney, in Manchester, or to Mr. Edge, Inner Temple, London.

At the Old Bull Inn, Blackburn, December 27, 1796.

THE major Part of the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against James Pomfret, now or late of Blackburn in the County of Lancaster, Cotton-Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, having met, the Day, Year, and at the Place above-mentioned, pursuant to Notice in the London Gazette for that Purpose given, in order to the said Bankrupt's finishing his Examination under the said Commission, he the said James Pomfret did, in conformity to such Notice, surrender himself, and submit to be examined in all Things touching his Estate and Effects; but sufficient Reasons appearing to the said Commissioners why the said Bankrupt could not then finish his Examination, and he having prayed Time for the Purpose, it was accordingly granted him until the 24th Day of January instant, when the major Part of the said Commissioners will again meet at the said Old Bull Inn in Blackburn aforesaid, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, in order to the further Surrender of the said Bankrupt, and also to the Receipt of additional Proofs of Debts, and otherwise to act in the said Commission.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Beckford, of High-Street, in the Parish of St. Giles in the County of Middlesex, Linen-Draper, intend to meet on the 4th Day of February next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, (by Adjournment from the 7th Instant) to take the last Examination of the said Bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and, with those who have proved their Debts, assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Meadowcroft, of Heap, in the Parish of Buryland County of Lancaster, and Robert Healey, of Bamford, in the Parish of Bury and County of Lancaster, Cotton-Spinners, Dealers, Chapmen and Partners, intend to meet (pursuant to Adjournment) on the 31st Day of January instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Bull's Head Inn in Manchester in the County of Lancaster, in order to make a Further Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Nathaniel Taylor, late of Hythe in the County of Southampton, Shopkeeper, intend to meet on

on the 18th Day of February next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Coach and Horses, in Southampton, in order to make a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Howel and John Seys, of Chepstow in the County of Monmouth, Brandy Merchants, Dealers, Chapmen and Copartners, intend to meet on the 2d of February next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Beaufort's Arms Inn in Chepstow, in order to make a Dividend as well of the joint as of the separate Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Penn, late of Chepstow in the County of Monmouth, Hop-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 2d Day of February next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Beaufort's Arms Inn in Chepstow, to make a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Thorn and Thomas Scarbrick, both of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, intend to meet on the 10th Day of February next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Globe Tavern, in John-Street, Liverpool aforesaid, in order to make a Dividend of the joint Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts, and also of the separate Estate and Effects of the said Thomas Thorn; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then substantiated will be disallowed.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Gumbrell, of Wallington in the County of Surry, Carpenter, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 4th Day of February next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Hague, of Ashton under Line in the County of Lancaster, Machine Maker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Hague hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of

the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st Day of January instant.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Peake, of Turnmill-Street, in the Parish of St. James, Clerkenwell, in the County of Middlesex, Pawnbroker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Peake hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st Day of January instant.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Thomas Owen, of Croydon, in the County of Surry, Wine and Brandy-Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Thomas Owen hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st Day of January instant.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Henry Lawson, of Edward-Street, Soho, in the County of Middlesex, Musical Instrument Maker, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Henry Lawson hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st Day of January instant.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Sinkler, of the Town of Kingston upon Hull in the County of the same Town, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Alexander Lord Loughborough, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said George Sinkler hath in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st Day of January instant.